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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of :
Lynda Anne Speed et al. :
Confirmation No. : 8480
Serial No. 09/786,077 : Group Art Unit 1751
Filed February 28, 2001 : Examiner G. Delcotto
For THE USE OF AN ALIPHATIC-AROMATIC DIACYL :
PEROXIDE IN A BLEACHING COMPOSITION

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated May 9, 2002 (Paper No. 6 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1 and 4-11).

A timely response to the final rejection has been filed. The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for response to the Office Action dated May 9 2002 in the above-identified application to permit filing this Notice of Appeal.

Please charge the appeal fee of \$320.00, any processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17, and any other necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 16-2480 in the name of The Procter & Gamble Company, Patent Division. An additional copy of this Notice is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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